

### REMARKS

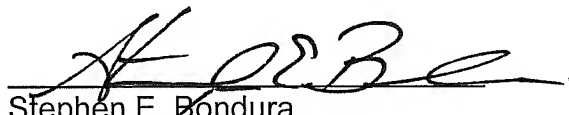
Claims 1 through 46 are pending in the application and have been indicated as allowed.

Claims 1, 10, 18, 27, 34, and 40 are amended herein to overcome the claim objections set forth on page 2 of the Ex Parte Quayle Office Action.

With the present Amendment, applicant respectfully submits that all pending claims are allowable, and that the application is in condition for allowance. Favorable action thereon is respectfully requested. The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at his convenience should he have any questions regarding this matter or require any additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

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